the level of Secretary to Government, are made strictly on a tenure basis and all officers who have completed the prescribed tenure are required to revert to their parent Cadre irrespective of the Service to which they belong. No discrimination is made against officers of the Central Services either in making appointments to senior positions or in the operation of tenure policy in such posts.

(b) Does not arise.

Findings of Shri Justice Jaswant Singh (Commission) against the Haryana Chief Minister

*173. DR. SHANTI G. PATEL:
SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 544 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 21st November, 1985 and state:

(a) whether the report of Shri Justice Jaswant Singh on the corruption charges against Haryana Chief Minister has been processed; and

(b) if so, what follow-up action, if any, has been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) Shri Justice Jaswant Singh, in his report submitted to the Government, has concluded that there is no *prima-facie* case against Shri Bhajan Lal and his close relatives. The report is being processed.

Plan outlay for Rajasthan

*174. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the outlay of the Seventh Five Year Plan of Rajasthan has been reduced from Rupees 6,650 crores to Rupees 3,000 crores by the Planning Commission;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) whether it has given a great set-back to the State's developments in various spheres particularly the rural water supply schemes, primary health centres, power and irrigation sector etc.; and

(d) if so, how do Government propose to help this backward State in achieving its targets for development in the various spheres?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI AJIT K. PANJA): (a) No. Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) The Sixth Plan outlay of Rajasthan was Rupees 2025 crores with a Central assistance of Rupees 626.31 crores and the Seventh Plan outlay is Rupees 3000 crores with a higher Central Assistance of Rupees 1139.77 crores. Within the limits set by available resources, every effort has been made to maintain the tempo of development in the State during the Seventh Plan. Proportionately, larger Central Assistance has been extended to the State for its Seventh Five Year Plan than for the Sixth Five Year Plan.

Pending cases applications of freedom fighters

*175. SHRI L. GANESAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of cases/applications of freedom fighters pending before Government for disposal as on date;

(b) since when are these applications pending;

(c) how many applications have been processed for granting pension during the last three years yearwise;

(d) how many applications have been rejected, year-wise; and

(e) what steps are being taken to dispose of the pending applications?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) to (e) 75,180 cases are pending as on

31-1-1986. Most of these cases are pending for want of verification reports from the State Governments. In some cases the reports have been received which are under various stages of processing. The last date for submission of applications under the liberalised pension scheme was 31-3-1982 and therefore these applications are pending for over 3 years.

2. Out of a total of 4,36,034 applications received both under the 1972 Scheme and the liberalised pension scheme effective from 1-8-1980, pension has been sanctioned to 1,37,794 freedom fighters and the dependents of deceased freedom fighters and 2,23,060 cases have been rejected. The number of cases where pension has been sanctioned and cases which have been rejected during the last three years is as below:—

Year	No. of sanctioned cases	No. of rejected cases
1983	2742	23,975
1984	4241	34,615
1985	5476	34,864

3. The following measures have been taken to facilitate expeditious scrutiny/disposal of cases at the State/Central levels:—

(i) On request from the Ministry of Home Affairs most of the State Governments/UT Admns. have set up special cells exclusively to deal with applications of freedom fighters under the supervision of senior officers. They have been advised to initiate campaigns to clear all pending cases with them.

(ii) The Government have also set up a Non-Official Advisory Committee at the Central level to consider the important policy issues such as recognition of regional movements/mutinies for the purpose of samman pension.

(iii) On advice of Ministry of Home Affairs, various State Governments/UT Admns. have formed State/Distt. level Committee comprising prominent freedom fighters to advise and help them in the scrutiny of claims.

(iv) It has been decided to associate the Central Government Officers with the Screening Committees at the State level in respect of such States where pendency is large.

विद्रोहियों के साथ हुई मुठभेड़ों में मारे गये सैनिक और अर्द्धसैनिक कार्मिक

*176. **श्री प्यारेलाल खंडेलवाल :** क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले एक वर्ष के दौरान पूर्वी क्षेत्र के सीमावर्ती राज्यों में आतंकवादियों और विद्रोहियों द्वारा कितने सैनिक और अर्द्ध-सैनिक कार्मिकों को मारा गया तथा उनसे कितने हथियार छीने गये ;

(ख) इन घटनाओं के संबंध में कितने आतंकवादियों को गिरफतार किया गया है ; और

(ग) पिछले एक वर्ष के दौरान कर्फ्यू की अवधि सहित किन-किन क्षेत्रों में कर्फ्यू लगाया गया था ?

गृह मंत्री (श्री एस० बी० चव्हाण) : (क) उत्तर पूर्वी क्षेत्र के सीमावर्ती राज्यों संघ शासित क्षेत्र प्रशासनों में 1985 में उग्रवादियों और विद्रोहियों द्वारा मारे गए सैनिक और अर्ध-सैनिक कार्मिकों की संख्या 29 है । लूटे गए हथियारों की संख्या 33 है ।

(ख) विद्रोही गतिविधियों के सम्बन्ध में उत्तर-पूर्वी क्षेत्र के राज्यों संघ शासित क्षेत्रों में 1985 के दौरान पकड़े गए कुल आतंकवादियों की संख्या 218 है ।

(ग) स्थिति की अत्यावश्यता के आधार पर, स्थानीय प्राधिकारियों ने समय-समय पर प्रभावित क्षेत्रों में कर्फ्यू लगाया था ।